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Title: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE, COMPENSATOR LAYER AND

METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A RETARDATION FOIL

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement dated March 17, 1999, Applicant hereby elects the Group I claims 1-14 for prosecution, without traverse. Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application on non-elected claim 15.

Respectfully submitted,

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